# SOME APPLICATIONS OF DEGENERATE POLY-BERNOULLI NUMBERS AND POLYNOMIALS

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ABSTRACT. In this paper, we consider degenerate poly-Bernoulli numbers and polynomials associated with polylogarithmic function and p-adic invariant integral on  $\mathbb{Z}_p$ . By using umbral calculus, we derive some identities of those numbers and polynomials.

#### 1. Introduction

Let p be a fixed prime number. Throughout this paper,  $\mathbb{Z}_p$ ,  $\mathbb{Q}_p$  and  $\mathbb{C}_p$  will denote the ring of p-adic integers, the field of p-adic rational numbers and the completion of the algebraic closure of  $\mathbb{Q}_p$ . The p-adic norm is normalized as  $|p|_p = \frac{1}{p}$ . For  $k \in \mathbb{Z}$ , the polylogarithmic function  $\text{Li}_k(x)$  is defined by  $\text{Li}_k(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{x^n}{n^k}$ . For k = 1, we have  $\text{Li}_1(x) = -\log(1-x)$ .

In [4], L. Carlitz considered the degenerate Bernoulli polynomials which are given by the generating function

(1.1) 
$$\frac{t}{(1+\lambda t)^{\frac{1}{\lambda}}-1}(1+\lambda t)^{\frac{x}{\lambda}} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \beta_{n,\lambda}(x)\frac{t^n}{n!}.$$

Note that  $\lim_{\lambda\to 0} \beta_{n,\lambda}(x) = B_n(x)$ , where  $B_n(x)$  are the ordinary Bernoulli polynomials. When x = 0,  $\beta_{n,\lambda} = \beta_{n,\lambda}(0)$  are called the degenerate Bernoulli numbers.

It is known that the poly-Bernoulli polynomials are defined by the generating function

(1.2) 
$$\frac{\operatorname{Li}_{k}(1 - e^{-t})}{e^{t} - 1} e^{xt} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} B_{n}^{(k)}(x) \frac{t^{n}}{n!}, \quad (\text{see } [8]).$$

When x = 0,  $B_n^{(k)} = B_n^{(k)}(0)$  are called the poly-Bernoulli numbers.

Let  $UD(\mathbb{Z}_p)$  be the space of uniformly differentiable functions on  $\mathbb{Z}_p$ . For  $f \in UD(\mathbb{Z}_p)$ , the *p*-adic invariant integral on  $\mathbb{Z}_p$  is defined by

(1.3) 
$$\int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} f(x) d\mu_0(x) = \lim_{N \to \infty} \sum_{x=0}^{p^N - 1} f(x) \mu_0(x + p^N \mathbb{Z}_p)$$
$$= \lim_{N \to \infty} \frac{1}{p^N} \sum_{x=0}^{p^N - 1} f(x), \quad (\text{see [13]}).$$

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From (1.3), we have

(1.4) 
$$\int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} f(x+1) d\mu_0(x) - \int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} f(x) d\mu_0(x) = f'(0),$$

where  $f'(0) = \frac{df(x)}{dx}\Big|_{x=0}$  (see [1–17]). By (1.4), we get

(1.5) 
$$\int_{\mathbb{Z}_{p}} (1+\lambda t)^{(x+y)/\lambda} d\mu_{0}(y) = \frac{\log(1+\lambda t)^{\frac{1}{\lambda}}}{(1+\lambda t)^{\frac{1}{\lambda}} - 1} (1+\lambda t)^{\frac{x}{\lambda}}$$
$$= \frac{\log(1+\lambda t)}{\lambda t} \frac{t}{(1+\lambda t)^{\frac{1}{\lambda}} - 1} (1+\lambda t)^{\frac{x}{\lambda}}$$
$$= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left( \sum_{l=0}^{n} {n \choose l} \lambda^{n-l} D_{n-l} \beta_{l,\lambda}(x) \right) \frac{t^{n}}{n!},$$

where  $D_n$  are the Daehee numbers of the first kind given by the generating function

(1.6) 
$$\frac{\log(1+t)}{t} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} D_n \frac{t^n}{n!}, \quad (\text{see } [9]).$$

Let  $\mathcal{F} = \left\{ f\left(t\right) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a_k \frac{t^k}{k!} \middle| a_k \in \mathbb{C}_p \right\}$  be the algebra of formal power series in a single variable t. Let  $\mathbb{P}$  be the algebra of polynomials in a single variable x over  $\mathbb{C}_p$ . We denote the action of the linear functional  $L \in \mathbb{P}^*$  on a polynomial  $p\left(x\right)$  by  $\langle L|p\left(x\right)\rangle$ , which is linearly extended as  $\langle cL + c'L'|p\left(x\right)\rangle = c\langle L|p\left(x\right)\rangle + c'\langle L'|p\left(x\right)\rangle$ , where  $c,c'\in\mathbb{C}_p$ . We define a linear functional on  $\mathbb{P}$  by setting

(1.7) 
$$\langle f(t)|x^n\rangle = a_n, \text{ for all } n \ge 0 \text{ and } f(t) \in \mathcal{F}.$$

By (1.7), we easily get

(1.8) 
$$\langle t^k | x^n \rangle = n! \delta_{n,k}, \quad (n, k \ge 0),$$

where  $\delta_{n,k}$  is the Kronecker's symbol (see [15]).

For  $f_L(t) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \langle L|x^k \rangle \frac{t^k}{k!}$ , we have  $\langle f_L(t)|x^n \rangle = \langle L|x^n \rangle$ . The map  $L \mapsto f_L(t)$  is vector space isomorphism from  $\mathbb{P}^*$  onto  $\mathcal{F}$ . Henceforth  $\mathcal{F}$  denotes both the algebra of formal power series in t and the vector space of all linear functionals on  $\mathbb{P}$ , and so an element f(t) of  $\mathcal{F}$  is thought of as both a formal power series and a linear functional. We call  $\mathcal{F}$  the umbral algebra. The umbral calculus is the study of umbral algebra.

The order o(f(t)) of the non-zero power series f(t) is the smallest integer k for which the coefficient of  $t^k$  does not vanish (see [10, 15]). If o(f(t)) = 1 (respectively, o(f(t)) = 0), then f(t) is called a delta (respectively, an invertible) series.

For o(f(t)) = 1 and o(g(t)) = 0, there exists a unique sequence  $s_n(x)$  of polynomials such that  $\langle g(t) f(t)^k | s_n(x) \rangle = n! \delta_{n,k}(n, k \ge 0)$ . The sequence  $s_n(x)$  is called the Sheffer sequence for (g(t), f(t)), and we write  $s_n(x) \sim (g(t), f(t))$  (see [15]).

For 
$$f(t) \in \mathcal{F}$$
 and  $p(x) \in \mathbb{P}$ , by (1.8), we get (1.9)  $\langle e^{yt} | p(x) \rangle = p(y)$ ,  $\langle f(t) g(t) | p(x) \rangle = \langle g(t) | f(t) p(x) \rangle = \langle f(t) | g(t) p(x) \rangle$ 

and

$$(1.10) f(t) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \left\langle f(t) | x^k \right\rangle \frac{t^k}{k!}, \quad p(x) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \left\langle t^k | p(x) \right\rangle \frac{x^k}{k!}, \quad (\text{see } [15]).$$

From (1.10), we note that

(1.11) 
$$p^{(k)}(0) = \langle t^{k} | p(x) \rangle = \langle 1 | p^{(k)}(x) \rangle, \quad (k \ge 0),$$

where  $p^{(k)}(0)$  denotes the k-th derivative of p(x) with respect to x at x = 0. By (1.11), we get

(1.12) 
$$t^{k} p(x) = p^{(k)}(x) = \frac{d^{k}}{dx^{k}} p(x), \quad (k \ge 0).$$

In [15], it is known that

$$(1.13) s_n(x) \sim (g(t), f(t)) \iff \frac{1}{g(\overline{f}(t))} e^{x\overline{f}(t)} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} s_n(x) \frac{t^n}{n!}, \quad (x \in \mathbb{C}_p),$$

where  $\overline{f}(t)$  is the compositional inverse of f(t) such that  $f(\overline{f}(t)) = \overline{f}(f(t)) = t$ . From (1.12), we can easily derive the following equation:

(1.14) 
$$e^{yt}p(x) = p(x+y), \text{ where } p(x) \in \mathbb{P} = \mathbb{C}_p[x].$$

In this paper, we study degenerate poly-Bernoulli numbers and polynomials associated with polylogarithm function and p-adic invariant integral on  $\mathbb{Z}_p$ . Finally, we give some identities of those numbers and polynomials which are derived from umbral calculus.

## 2. Some applications of degenerate poly-Bernoulli numbers

Now, we consider the degenerate poly-Bernoulli polynomials which are given by the generating function

(2.1) 
$$\frac{\operatorname{Li}_{k}\left(1-\left(1+\lambda t\right)^{-\frac{1}{\lambda}}\right)}{\left(1+\lambda t\right)^{\frac{1}{\lambda}}-1}e^{xt}=\sum_{n=0}^{\infty}\beta_{n,\lambda}^{(k)}\left(x\right)\frac{t^{n}}{n!},\quad\left(k\in\mathbb{Z}\right).$$

From (1.13) and (2.1), we have

(2.2) 
$$\beta_{n,\lambda}^{(k)}(x) \sim \left(\frac{(1+\lambda t)^{\frac{1}{\lambda}} - 1}{\operatorname{Li}_k\left(1 - (1+\lambda t)^{-\frac{1}{\lambda}}\right)}, t\right),$$

and

(2.3) 
$$\beta_{n,\lambda}^{(k)}(x) = \sum_{l=0}^{n} \binom{n}{l} \beta_{l,\lambda}^{(k)} x^{n-l},$$

where  $\beta_{l,\lambda}^{(k)} = \beta_{l,\lambda}^{(k)}(0)$  are called the degenerate poly-Bernoulli numbers. Thus, by (2.3), we get

(2.4) 
$$\int_{x}^{x+y} \beta_{n,\lambda}^{(k)}(u) du = \frac{1}{n+1} \left\{ \beta_{n+1,\lambda}^{(k)}(x+y) - \beta_{n+1,\lambda}^{(k)}(x) \right\}$$
$$= \frac{e^{yt} - 1}{t} \beta_{n,\lambda}^{(k)}(x).$$

Let f(t) be the linear functional such that

$$\langle f(t)|p(x)\rangle = \int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} \frac{\left(e^t - 1\right) \operatorname{Li}_k\left(1 - (1 + \lambda t)^{-\frac{1}{\lambda}}\right)}{t\left((1 + \lambda t)^{\frac{1}{\lambda}} - 1\right)} p(x) d\mu_0(x)$$

for all polynomials p(x). Then it can be determined as follows: for any  $p(x) \in \mathbb{P}$ ,

$$\left\langle \frac{t}{e^t - 1} \middle| p(x) \right\rangle = \int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} p(x) d\mu_0(x).$$

Replacing p(x) by  $\frac{e^t-1}{t}h(t)p(x)$ , for  $h(t) \in \mathcal{F}$ , we get

(2.5) 
$$\langle h(t)|p(x)\rangle = \int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} \frac{e^t - 1}{t} h(t)p(x)d\mu_0(x).$$

In particular, for h(t) = 1, we obtain

(2.6) 
$$\int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} \frac{e^t - 1}{t} p(x) d\mu_0(x) = p(0).$$

Therefore, by (2.5) and (2.6), we obtain the following theorem as a special case.

**Theorem 1.** For  $p(x) \in \mathbb{P}$ , we have

$$\left\langle \frac{\operatorname{Li}_{k}\left(1-(1+\lambda t)^{-\frac{1}{\lambda}}\right)}{(1+\lambda t)^{\frac{1}{\lambda}}-1} \middle| p\left(x\right) \right\rangle$$

$$= \int_{\mathbb{Z}_{p}} \frac{\left(e^{t}-1\right) \operatorname{Li}_{k}\left(1-(1+\lambda t)^{-\frac{1}{\lambda}}\right)}{t\left((1+\lambda t)^{\frac{1}{\lambda}}-1\right)} p\left(x\right) d\mu_{0}\left(x\right),$$

and

$$\left\langle \frac{\left(e^{t}-1\right) \operatorname{Li}_{k}\left(1-\left(1+\lambda t\right)^{-\frac{1}{\lambda}}\right)}{t\left(\left(1+\lambda t\right)^{\frac{1}{\lambda}}-1\right)} \int_{\mathbb{Z}_{p}} e^{yt} d\mu_{0}\left(y\right) \left| p\left(x\right)\right\rangle$$

$$= \int_{\mathbb{Z}_{p}} \frac{\left(e^{t}-1\right) \operatorname{Li}_{k}\left(1-\left(1+\lambda t\right)^{-\frac{1}{\lambda}}\right)}{t\left(\left(1+\lambda t\right)^{\frac{1}{\lambda}}-1\right)} p\left(x\right) d\mu_{0}\left(x\right).$$

In particular,

$$\beta_{n,\lambda}^{(k)} = \left\langle \frac{\left(e^{t} - 1\right) \operatorname{Li}_{k}\left(1 - \left(1 + \lambda t\right)^{-\frac{1}{\lambda}}\right)}{t\left(\left(1 + \lambda t\right)^{\frac{1}{\lambda}} - 1\right)} \int_{\mathbb{Z}_{p}} e^{yt} d\mu_{0}\left(y\right) \left| x^{n} \right\rangle, \quad (n \geq 0).$$

Note that

$$\left\langle \int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} e^{yt} d\mu_0(y) \left| \frac{e^t - 1}{t} \beta_{n,\lambda}^{(k)}(x) \right\rangle \right.$$

$$= \frac{1}{n+1} \left\langle \frac{t}{e^t - 1} \left| \beta_{n+1,\lambda}^{(k)}(x+1) - \beta_{n+1,\lambda}^{(k)}(x) \right\rangle \right.$$

$$= \frac{1}{n+1} \sum_{l=0}^{n+1} \binom{n+1}{l} B_l \left( \beta_{n+1-l,\lambda}^{(k)} (1) - \beta_{n+1-l,\lambda}^{(k)} \right) = \beta_{n,\lambda}^{(k)}.$$

It is easy to show that

(2.7) 
$$\frac{(e^{t}-1)\operatorname{Li}_{k}\left(1-(1+\lambda t)^{-\frac{1}{\lambda}}\right)}{t\left((1+\lambda t)^{\frac{1}{\lambda}}-1\right)}\sum_{n=0}^{\infty}\int_{\mathbb{Z}_{p}}\left(x+y\right)^{n}d\mu_{0}\left(y\right)\frac{t^{n}}{n!}$$

$$=\frac{(e^{t}-1)\operatorname{Li}_{k}\left(1-(1+\lambda t)^{-\frac{1}{\lambda}}\right)}{t\left((1+\lambda t)^{\frac{1}{\lambda}}-1\right)}\times\frac{t}{e^{t}-1}e^{xt}$$

$$=\sum_{n=0}^{\infty}\beta_{n,\lambda}^{(k)}\left(x\right)\frac{t^{n}}{n!}.$$

Thus, by (2.7), we get

(2.8) 
$$\beta_{n,\lambda}^{(k)}(x) = \frac{(e^t - 1)\operatorname{Li}_k\left(1 - (1 + \lambda t)^{-\frac{1}{\lambda}}\right)}{t\left((1 + \lambda t)^{\frac{1}{\lambda}} - 1\right)} \int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} (x + y)^n d\mu_0(y)$$
$$= \frac{\operatorname{Li}_k\left(1 - (1 + \lambda t)^{-\frac{1}{\lambda}}\right)}{(1 + \lambda t)^{\frac{1}{\lambda}} - 1} x^n$$

Therefore, by (2.8), we obtain the following theorem.

**Theorem 2.** For  $p(x) \in \mathbb{P}$ , we have

$$\frac{(e^{t}-1)\operatorname{Li}_{k}\left(1-(1+\lambda t)^{-\frac{1}{\lambda}}\right)}{t\left((1+\lambda t)^{\frac{1}{\lambda}}-1\right)} \int_{\mathbb{Z}_{p}} p\left(x+y\right) d\mu_{0}\left(y\right) 
= \frac{(e^{t}-1)\operatorname{Li}_{k}\left(1-(1+\lambda t)^{-\frac{1}{\lambda}}\right)}{t\left((1+\lambda t)^{\frac{1}{\lambda}}-1\right)} \int_{\mathbb{Z}_{p}} e^{yt} p\left(x\right) d\mu_{0}\left(y\right) 
= \frac{\operatorname{Li}_{k}\left(1-(1+\lambda t)^{-\frac{1}{\lambda}}\right)}{(1+\lambda t)^{\frac{1}{\lambda}}-1} p\left(x\right).$$

For  $r \in \mathbb{N}$ , let us consider the higher-order degenerate poly-Bernoulli polynomials as follows:

$$(2.9) \qquad \left(\frac{\left(e^{t}-1\right) \operatorname{Li}_{k}\left(1-\left(1+\lambda t\right)^{-\frac{1}{\lambda}}\right)}{t\left(\left(1+\lambda t\right)^{\frac{1}{\lambda}}-1\right)}\right)^{r} \int_{\mathbb{Z}_{p}} \cdots \int_{\mathbb{Z}_{p}} e^{(x_{1}+\cdots+x_{r}+x)t} d\mu_{0}\left(x_{1}\right) \cdots d\mu_{0}\left(x_{r}\right) = \left(\frac{\operatorname{Li}_{k}\left(1-\left(1+\lambda t\right)^{-\frac{1}{\lambda}}\right)}{\left(1+\lambda t\right)^{\frac{1}{\lambda}}-1}\right)^{r} e^{xt} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \beta_{n,\lambda}^{(k,r)}\left(x\right) \frac{t^{n}}{n!}.$$

Thus, we obtain

$$(2.10) \qquad \beta_{n,\lambda}^{(k,r)}(x) = \left(\frac{\operatorname{Li}_{k}\left(1 - (1 + \lambda t)^{-\frac{1}{\lambda}}\right)}{(1 + \lambda t)^{\frac{1}{\lambda}} - 1}\right)^{r} x^{n}$$

$$= \left(\frac{(e^{t} - 1)\operatorname{Li}_{k}\left(1 - (1 + \lambda t)^{-\frac{1}{\lambda}}\right)}{t\left((1 + \lambda t)^{\frac{1}{\lambda}} - 1\right)}\right)^{r}$$

$$\times \int_{\mathbb{Z}_{n}} \cdots \int_{\mathbb{Z}_{n}} (x_{1} + \cdots + x_{r} + x)^{n} d\mu_{0}(x_{1}) \cdots d\mu_{0}(x_{r}),$$

where  $n \geq 0$ .

Here, for x = 0,  $\beta_{n,\lambda}^{(k,r)} = \beta_{n,\lambda}^{(k,r)}(0)$  are called the degenerate poly-Bernoulli numbers of order r. From (2.9), we note that

(2.11) 
$$\beta_{n,\lambda}^{(k)}(x) \sim \left( \left( \frac{(1+\lambda t)^{\frac{1}{\lambda}} - 1}{\operatorname{Li}_k \left( 1 - (1+\lambda t)^{-\frac{1}{\lambda}} \right)} \right)^r, t \right).$$

Therefore, by (2.10), we obtain the following theorem.

**Theorem 3.** For  $p(x) \in \mathbb{P}$  and  $r \in \mathbb{N}$ , we have

$$\left(\frac{\left(e^{t}-1\right)\operatorname{Li}_{k}\left(1-\left(1+\lambda t\right)^{-\frac{1}{\lambda}}\right)}{t\left(\left(1+\lambda t\right)^{\frac{1}{\lambda}}-1\right)}\right)^{r}\int_{\mathbb{Z}_{p}}\cdots\int_{\mathbb{Z}_{p}}p\left(x_{1}+\cdots+x_{r}+x\right)d\mu_{0}\left(x_{1}\right)\cdots d\mu_{0}\left(x_{r}\right)$$

$$=\left(\frac{\left(e^{t}-1\right)\operatorname{Li}_{k}\left(1-\left(1+\lambda t\right)^{-\frac{1}{\lambda}}\right)}{t\left(\left(1+\lambda t\right)^{\frac{1}{\lambda}}-1\right)}\right)^{r}\int_{\mathbb{Z}_{p}}\cdots\int_{\mathbb{Z}_{p}}e^{\left(x_{1}+\cdots+x_{r}\right)t}p\left(x\right)d\mu_{0}\left(x_{1}\right)\cdots d\mu_{0}\left(x_{r}\right)$$

$$=\left(\frac{\operatorname{Li}_{k}\left(1-\left(1+\lambda t\right)^{\frac{1}{\lambda}}-1\right)}{\left(1+\lambda t\right)^{\frac{1}{\lambda}}-1}\right)^{r}p\left(x\right).$$

Let us consider the linear functional  $f_r(t)$  such that

(2.12)

$$\langle f_r(t)|p(x)\rangle = \int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} \cdots \int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} \left( \frac{\left(e^t - 1\right) \operatorname{Li}_k \left(1 - \left(1 + \lambda t\right)^{-\frac{1}{\lambda}}\right)}{t\left(\left(1 + \lambda t\right)^{\frac{1}{\lambda}} - 1\right)} \right)^r p(x)|_{x = x_1 + \dots + x_r} d\mu_0(x_1) \cdots d\mu_0(x_r)$$

for all polynomials p(x). Then it can be determined in the following way: for  $p(x) \in \mathbb{P}$ ,

$$\left\langle \left( \frac{t}{e^t - 1} \right)^r \middle| p(x) \right\rangle = \int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} \cdots \int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} p(x) |_{x = x_1 + \dots + x_r} d\mu_0(x_1) \cdots d\mu_0(x_r).$$

Replacing p(x) by  $\left(\frac{e^t-1}{t}h(t)\right)^r p(x)$ , for  $h(t) \in \mathcal{F}$ , we have (2.13)

$$\langle h(t)^r | p(x) \rangle = \int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} \cdots \int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} \left( \frac{e^t - 1}{t} h(t) \right)^r p(x) |_{x = x_1 + \dots + x_r} d\mu_0(x_1) \cdots d\mu_0(x_r).$$

In particular, for h(t) = 1, we get

(2.14) 
$$\int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} \cdots \int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} \left( \frac{e^t - 1}{t} \right)^r p(x) |_{x = x_1 + \dots + x_r} d\mu_0(x_1) \cdots d\mu_0(x_r) = p(0).$$

Therefore, by (2.13) and (2.14), we obtain the following theorem.

**Theorem 4.** For  $p(x) \in \mathbb{P}$ , we have

$$\left\langle \left( \frac{\operatorname{Li}_{k} \left( 1 - (1 + \lambda t)^{-\frac{1}{\lambda}} \right)}{(1 + \lambda t)^{\frac{1}{\lambda}} - 1} \right)^{\tau} \middle| p(x) \right\rangle$$

$$= \int_{\mathbb{Z}_{p}} \cdots \int_{\mathbb{Z}_{p}} \left( \frac{\left( e^{t} - 1 \right) \operatorname{Li}_{k} \left( 1 - (1 + \lambda t)^{-\frac{1}{\lambda}} \right)}{t \left( (1 + \lambda t)^{\frac{1}{\lambda}} - 1 \right)} \right)^{\tau} p(x) |_{x = x_{1} + \dots + x_{r}} d\mu_{0}(x_{1}) \cdots d\mu_{0}(x_{r}),$$
and
$$t \left( \left( e^{t} - 1 \right) \operatorname{Li}_{k} \left( 1 - (1 + \lambda t)^{\frac{1}{\lambda}} - 1 \right) \right)^{\tau}$$

$$\left\langle \left( \frac{\left(e^{t}-1\right) \operatorname{Li}_{k}\left(1-\left(1+\lambda t\right)^{-\frac{1}{\lambda}}\right)}{t\left(\left(1+\lambda t\right)^{\frac{1}{\lambda}}-1\right)} \right)^{r} \int_{\mathbb{Z}_{p}} \cdots \int_{\mathbb{Z}_{p}} e^{(x_{1}+\cdots+x_{r})t} d\mu_{0}\left(x_{1}\right) \cdots d\mu_{0}\left(x_{r}\right) \left| p\left(x\right) \right\rangle$$

$$= \int_{\mathbb{Z}_{p}} \cdots \int_{\mathbb{Z}_{p}} \left( \frac{\left(e^{t}-1\right) \operatorname{Li}_{k}\left(1-\left(1+\lambda t\right)^{-\frac{1}{\lambda}}\right)}{t\left(\left(1+\lambda t\right)^{\frac{1}{\lambda}}-1\right)} \right)^{r} p(x) |_{x=x_{1}+\cdots+x_{r}} d\mu_{0}\left(x_{1}\right) \cdots d\mu_{0}\left(x_{r}\right).$$

In particular,

$$\beta_{n,\lambda}^{(k,r)} = \left\langle \left( \frac{\left(e^{t}-1\right) \operatorname{Li}_{k}\left(1-\left(1+\lambda t\right)^{\frac{1}{\lambda}}\right)}{t\left(\left(1+\lambda t\right)^{\frac{1}{\lambda}}-1\right)} \right)^{r} \int_{\mathbb{Z}_{p}} \cdots \int_{\mathbb{Z}_{p}} e^{(x_{1}+\cdots+x_{r})t} d\mu_{0}\left(x_{1}\right) \cdots d\mu_{0}\left(x_{r}\right) \left| x^{n} \right\rangle.$$

Remark. It is not difficult to show that

$$\left\langle \left( \frac{\left(e^{t}-1\right) \operatorname{Li}_{k}\left(1-\left(1+\lambda t\right)^{-\frac{1}{\lambda}}\right)}{t\left(\left(1+\lambda t\right)^{\frac{1}{\lambda}}-1\right)} \right)^{r} \int_{\mathbb{Z}_{p}} \cdots \int_{\mathbb{Z}_{p}} e^{(x_{1}+\cdots+x_{r})t} d\mu_{0}\left(x_{1}\right) \cdots d\mu_{0}\left(x_{r}\right) \left| x^{n} \right\rangle$$

$$= \sum_{n=n_{1}+\cdots+n_{r}} \binom{n}{n_{1},\ldots,n_{r}} \left\langle \frac{\left(e^{t}-1\right) \operatorname{Li}_{k}\left(1-\left(1+\lambda t\right)^{-\frac{1}{\lambda}}\right)}{t\left(\left(1+\lambda t\right)^{\frac{1}{\lambda}}-1\right)} \int_{\mathbb{Z}_{p}} e^{x_{n_{1}}t} d\mu_{0}\left(x_{1}\right) \left| x^{m_{1}} \right\rangle \times \cdots$$

$$\times \left\langle \frac{\left(e^{t}-1\right) \operatorname{Li}_{k}\left(1-\left(1+\lambda t\right)^{-\frac{1}{\lambda}}\right)}{t\left(\left(1+\lambda t\right)^{\frac{1}{\lambda}}-1\right)} \int_{\mathbb{Z}_{p}} e^{x_{n_{r}}t} d\mu_{0}\left(x_{n_{r}}\right) \left| x^{n_{r}} \right\rangle.$$

Thus, we get

$$\beta_{n,\lambda}^{(k,r)} = \sum_{n=n_1+\dots+n_r} \binom{n}{n_1,\dots,n_r} \beta_{n_1,\lambda}^{(k)} \cdots \beta_{n_r,\lambda}^{(k)}.$$

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